(b) if so, whether the Delhi Administration has ignored other national languages like Punjabi included in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution; if so, what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether the Delhi Administration has made arrangements for the teaching of Punjabi under the New Education Policy as the third language; if so, whether necessary instructions have been issued; if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Delhi Administration is re-examining the choice of languages to be offered in schools in Delhi. In the meanwhile, the Hon'ble Supreme Court has stayed the implementation of the instructions issued by Central Board of Secondary Education regarding teaching of languages. The Delhi Admjnistration will take decision in the light of the CBSE prescription and the Supreme Court decision.

Reservation quota for Scheduled Tribes in the South Central Railway

3361. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state whether it has come to Governmnt's notice thst the reservation suota for Scheduled Tribes in promotions is not properly followed in South-Central Railways; if so, what are the details in this regard and what remedial steps are being taken?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Examination for Junior Research Fellowships

3362. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that an All India Examination is held by the University Grants Commission for Junior Research Fellowships;

(b) if so, what is the number of candidates who were selected during 1985-86, 1986-87 and 1987-88;

(c) what is the distribution pattern of the selected candidates in terms of universities where they study PG courses and the subjects they have studied;

(d) what are the first ten universities which have bagged the maximum number of fellowships during that period;

(e) what is the number of universities in the country which have drawn blank in the fellowships; and

(f) what steps Government would take to correct the imbalance, if any?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): Yes,, Sir.

(b) to (d) The information is being compiled and would be laid on the Table of the House.

(c) The number of universities in the country which have drawn blank in the fellowships for the years